I believe that BellSouth (or any other provider) SHOULD be allowed the option of refusing to offer DSL service on loops they don't own and/or aren't the provider of POTS. It is a marketing tool for them for DSL. "If you want to buy my DSL here's how I choose to sell it". Big deal. If you don't want it under those conditions, go find somebody else to provide it. I'm tired of hearing people crying all the time. PLEASE stop stifling competition at every turn under the guise of trying to promote it.

Sincerely,

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